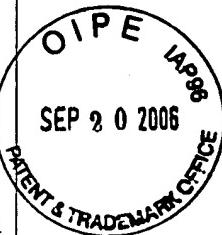


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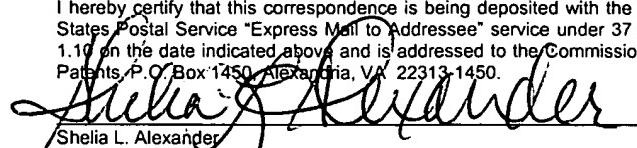
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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/719,990 for  
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METHODS OF MAKING AND USING THE SAME  
Our Ref. No. 421/73/2

Sir:

Please find enclosed the following:

1. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (1 page);
2. Amendment B including a Petition for Extension of Time (15 pages);
3. Amendment Transmittal Form (1 page) in duplicate;
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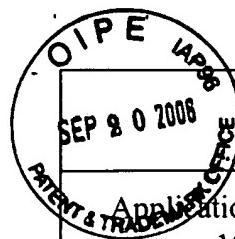


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Filing Date:  
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Art Unit:  
1642

Invention: Phosphoprotein Detection Reagent and Methods of Making and Using the Same

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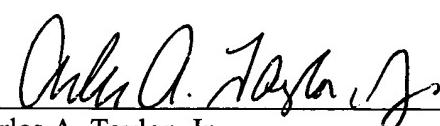
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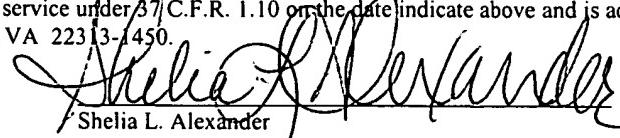
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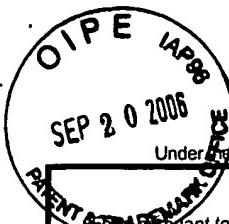
  
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Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

##### Fee Description

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